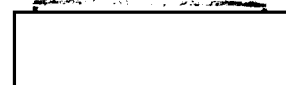


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Dear Mr. McDowell:

Thank you for your letter of June 11 keeping me
up to date on congressional activity concerning the
Freedom Academy, and the additional information on
the work that your Council is doing. I have found it
very interesting and helpful.

Sincerely,

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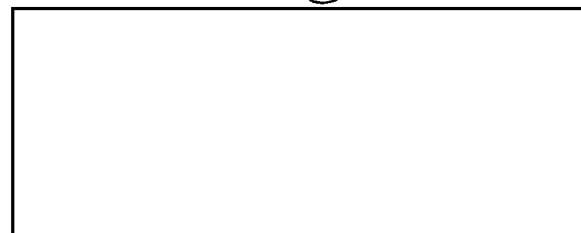
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Dear Mr. Dulles:

Just a brief word to bring you abreast of our progress on the Freedom Academy and Commission bills in Congress since I sent you the summary following our annual Washington dinner devoted to the subject this last April.

As I advised you then, the Judd-Herlong House bills 3880-3881, also sponsored by Representative Jackson and others in House, were introduced in Senate by Senators Mundt and Douglas as S. 1689. Senator Case of New Jersey added his sponsorship by unanimous consent of Senate on April 28, and Senator Mundt offered first testimony before Senate Internal Security Subcommittee of Judiciary so effectively on same morning, that Senators Dodd and Keating for subcommittee suggested separation from the combination of internal security measures also up for hearing, so that special public hearing on Freedom Academy measure, the Mundt-Douglas-Case bill could be held possibly the week of June 8.

Congressman Walter Judd believes that by that time he will be out from under his share of the Foreign Affairs Committee burden on the economic aid program and able to take up the matter, along with Syd Herlong, as soon as House Un-American Activities Committee, which has the bills, has time to consider its schedule.

This committee of the House recently did yeoman service for the U. S. labor movement and all of us by opening up again the case of the dangerously effective communist operation in the United Packinghouse Workers' Union centering in Chicago. Tony Stephens, for twenty-two years a leading officer of the union, quickly found himself friendless and office-less when he again

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tried to raise the question from within a year ago. He asked our Council's trade union section for legal and research aid in preparation of his case for submission to AFL-CIO, which was freely given. But only the publicity and subpoena power of the committee seemed effective in making a public record, which enabled AFL-CIO Executive Council last week to order an official investigation by its own subcommittee.

Our very good and effective English union friends, the Industrial Research and Information Service, Ltd. (IRIS) of 404 Maritime House, Clapham, London S. W. 4, can take even more credit for fact that the British Amalgamated Engineering Union, the equivalent of our Machinists, Steel and Auto Workers' unions all rolled into one, which seemed only two years ago to balance on edge of falling into communist control, has now firmly re-elected Bill Carron as President, cutting the vote of his communist opponent nearly in half and carrying with him a strong, intelligent, anti-communist board for next five years.

As in the United States where the communist wedge into electronics field in form of United Electrical Workers (U.E.) has experienced a resurgence as result of abandonment of case of Subversive Activities Control Board against it, the ten years communist-dominated English Electrical Trades Union (E.T.U.) has almost crushed the revolt raised by Les Cannon and three associates at time of Hungarian events, but although complicated by practice, like some considerable number of other unions in Europe, of electing chief officers for life or good behavior, the battle goes on led by those who broke away from communist ranks after Khrushchev's blood bath in Budapest.

If you don't have it (and we get all too few of English published titles on subject here in U.S.), you would be well advised to spend 20 shillings in ordering it from IRIS in London, Harry Wetton's "Third World War" or Trade and Industry the New Battleground. This is the British equivalent of the Overstreet's book on "What We Should Know About Communism," with the emphasis on the new trade and industry angle we would expect.


Fred Bowen from Australia writes us that all communist candidates were "roundly defeated" in both Federal and State elections held recently, in spite of their new pitch of respectability and altered tactics. Premier Cahill and his Labor Administration, which have held New South Wales for last 21 years, never has let his organization be tagged with any communist sympathies which have so discredited the Federal Labor Party leader, Dr. Evatt. Fred and his associates, who carry the physical body scars to this day from the clash with communist elements on waterfront, chuckles over the latest switch of Dr. Evatt to openly denouncing communists by name and alignment with religious elements he once denounced instead. As in Britain, labor has circulars out denouncing and warning against any participation in the so-called Vienna Youth Festival of communists this year by labor sympathizers.

All of this is from private correspondence and since this letter is part of the same system of correspondence, I must ask you to treat it accordingly. The Upholsterers' Union, which does pay my salary, now has a convention in San Francisco and now asks some of my time for their affairs in early weeks of June there, so Freedom Academy hearings, etc., had better go direct to Alan G. Grant, Jr., 806 Metcalf Building, Orlando, Florida, for this month.

One of reserve officers refresher session this summer has asked us to rerun some of our documents, so I enclose a list (from 1951 to present) in case you want to back order some you missed.

Yours in the common cause of mankind, which is freedom, I am

Sincerely yours,


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